FOREST DEPARTMENT.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 10th August 1925.

The right of cutting and removing firewood and poles in the undermentioned coupes of the State Forests of the Kolar District, for the year 1925-26 as well as arrear coupes will be sold by public auction, by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District, or other Officer deputed by him, as per particulars given below :—

Serial No.	Name of forest	Name of working circle	No. of coupe	Area in acres	Probable quantity of fuel available	Place of sale	Date of sale
					Tons.		
1	Srinivaspur ..	Northern W. C. ..	III	70	25	Srinivaspur travellers' bungalow.	28-8-25.
	Do ..	Southern ,, ..	III	50	25		
	Do ..	Eastern ,, ..	III	50	25		
2	Agara	Northern ,, ..	III	115	50	Dinnahalli Forest Lodge.	29-8-25.
	Do	Southern ,, ..	III	285	60		
3	Gokunte Gollahalli ..	Northern ,, ..	VI	88	10		
	Do ..	Southern ,, ..	VI	71	10		
4	Nandi State Forest ..	Nandi	VI	90	80	Chikballapur ...	7-9-25.
	Do ..	Do	VII	100	100		
5	Narasimhadevarabetta ..	Northern W. C. ..	XXII	120	150		
	Do Block II ..	Do ,, ..	XXIII	140	150		
6	Do Block III ..	Southern ,, ..	XXI	148	175	Manchenahalli..	10-9-25.
		Northern ,, ..	XVIII	200	200		
		Do ,, ..	XVII	170	170		
7	Do Block IV ..	Sadenahalli W. C. ..	XXII	108	300	Sadenahalli ..	9-9-25.
		Ketenahalli ,, ..	XVIII	120	250		
		Nallakadirenahalli W. C. ..	XVIII	115	225	Subbanahalli ..	12-9-25.
		Devarabetta ,, ..	XVIII	116	300		
8	Do Block V ..	I W. C. ..	XI	124	350	Gudibanda ..	13-9-25.
		II ,, ..	XI	124	125		
		III ,, ..	XI	124	100		
9	Yemmegudda State Ft...	Yemmegudda ..	VI	103	50	Thondebhavi ..	11-9-25.
10	Valasebetta ..	Valasebetta ..	XVIII	28	50		
11	Kamasandra State Ft. ...	Block II ..	XVIII(a)	151½	Quantity will be intimated at the time of sale.	Thoppanahalli Forest Lodge	25-8-25.
			,, (b)	151½			
12	Nutuve State Forest ..	Nutuve and Sorakayalahalli W. C.	III (a)	100		Budikote ..	26-8-25.
			III (b)				
13	Ittikaldurga Block I ..	Northern ,, ..	X	95	50	Bagepalli travellers' bungalow.	14-9-25.
		Southern ,, ..	X	95	50		
14	Do Block II ..	Northern ,, ..	X	128	40		
		Southern ,, ..	X	128	35		
15	Do Block III ..	Northern ,, ..	X	113	35	Do ..	15-9-25.
		Southern ,, ..	X	114	30		
16	Do Block IV ..	Northern ,, ..	X	66	26		
		Southern ,, ..	X	66	26		
17	Royalpad Block I ..	I W. C. ..	XXIV	47	Particulars will be furnished at the time of sale.	Royalpad ..	22-9-25.
		II ,, ..	,,	75			
		IV ,, ..	,,	82			
		V ,, ..	,,	80			
18	Do Block II ..	Northern ,, ..	,,	80			
19	Do Block III ..	Valeswara ,, ..	,,	60		Manchanilkote..	24-9-25.
20	Do Block IV ..	Eastern ,, ..	,,	40			
		Western ,, ..	,,	33			
21	Kuraguntalu Forest ..	Northern ,, ..	VII	78		Kuraguntalu ..	8-10-25.
		Southern ,, ..	,,	56			

N.B.—The sale will commence at 1 P.M. on the dates of sale.

2. Each coupe will be sold separately. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, or the District Forest Officer, as the case may be.

3. The officer holding the sale reserves to himself the right to reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Each bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money before he is permitted to bid which will be returned to him at the close of the sale if his bid be not accepted. Soon after the sale is over, the successful bidder shall pay such amount as will, together with the earnest money paid by him, make up ¼th the sale amount if the sale amount exceeds Rs. 200 or the whole of the sale amount in other cases, plus the whole of local and railway cesses at Re. 0-1-0 and Re. 0-0-6, respectively, on each rupee of the entire sale amount.

5. Within a week of the receipt of the notice confirming the sale, the purchaser shall credit the balance of the sale amount at the nearest Taluk Treasury and shall execute an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions that will be read out at the time of sale. As soon as the agreement is executed permission will be given to the Contractor to exploit the coupes and he must start the work within a week thereafter duly furnishing the Range Officer concerned and the District Forest Officer, Kolar District, with a list of agents and coolies. He must deposit Rs. 100 or ¼th of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the agreement which will be forfeited in part or whole for the breach of all or any of the conditions.

6. If he fails to make payments or to execute the agreement as mentioned above, he shall forfeit his deposit and any other amount that he might have paid up to the date of his default and forego his claim to the lease, which will be re-sold at his risk but without his participating in any profit that may accrue. All arrears that become due from the defaulter will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

7. Fellings should be completed by the end of December 1925 and removal by the end of January 1926. Fuel and poles cut must all be collected at places prescribed by Range Officers in or near each coupe and must be removed after inspection by the Range Officer. Each cart-load of produce under removal from the State Forest shall be covered by a pass granted by a Forest Official appointed for the purpose. The said cart-loads and passes shall be presented for examination at such place or places as may be assigned by the District Forest Officer.

8. Reserved trees marked and numbered as standards, seedlings or saplings under one foot in girth and trees and shrubs yielding minor forest products, shall not be cut or injured by the purchaser or his employees and due care should be taken to protect sandal trees. For such cutting or injury the contractor is liable to pay damage at Rs. 10 per tree.

9. The trees must be felled and coppiced in one operation in such a way that the top of the bark touches the ground and will not be separated from the wood of the stumps and will not be jammed or split; and the top of the stump should not exceed 6" in height above ground.

10. No fellings or removals will be allowed between 1st February and 1st May. Fellings or removals in arrears, if any, will be allowed to be done after 1st May. All produce paid for by the purchaser, but which remains over uncut before the 30th June 1926 and all that is cut and collected by the purchaser but which has not been removed beyond the limits of the State Forest before the said date shall lapse to Government.

11. No produce shall be carted from or through any portion of the State Forest after sunset or before sunrise nor through such areas as will be specially prohibited by the Range Officer or the District Forest Officer.

12. Neither the purchaser nor his employees shall convey or kindle any fire within 200 yards of the State Forest. The purchaser or his agents or coolies must help the Department in extinguishing accidental fires inside the State Forest.

13. In all cases of complaints preferred by the purchaser, the decision of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, shall be final.

14. The purchaser shall make his own arrangements for watch and ward of his produce and the Department is not responsible for it.

M. V. NARASIMHAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 6th August 1925.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of cutting and collecting the Tangadi and Kakke barks during the years 1925-27, in the undermentioned Sammaths will be resold on 27th August 1925 by the Deputy Commissioner or an Assistant Commissioner deputed by him at the risk of the original purchasers as they have failed to appear with sureties and execute the bond in pursuance of the Notices Nos. 4284-317, dated 24th June 1925, 109-27, dated 10th July 1925 and 216-33, dated 16th July 1925 issued from this office.

Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.—
1. Chiknayakanhalli hobli.
2. Settikere hobli.
3. Handankere hobli.

Gubbi Taluk.—
1. Dandinsivara hobli.

B. NARASIMHA IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Resale Notification, dated 7th August 1925.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the exclusive right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke barks during the years 1925-27 of the marginally noted Taluk, will be resold at 2 P. M. on the 24th August 1925, by the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, Mysore, or an Assistant Commissioner deputed by him, in the District Forest Office, Mysore, at the risk of the original purchaser, who has failed to appear before this office with surety and execute the bond, etc., in spite of the Notices (Nos. 21-9 and 194-8, dated the 6th and 28th July 1925, respectively) issued from this office.

Nanjangud Taluk.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.